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Application No. : 09/964,386

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For : METHOD FOR PRODUCING FATTY ACID METHYL ESTER AND EQUIPEMENT FOR REALISING THE SAME

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Transmitted herewith is an **Amendment under 37 C.F.R. 1.116 to Final Office Action Mailed February 17, 2004** in the above-captioned application.

- ☒ Small Entity Status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a previously filed statement.
- ☒ Attachments: 1) "Post Mixing Optimization and Solutions" printed from the Internet at http://w.w.w.postmixing.com/mixing%20forum.staticmix.static_mixers.htm on June 11, 2004; 2) "Understanding Motionless Mixers", obtained from the Internet at http://w.w.w.chemicalprocessing.com/Web_First/cp.nsf/ArticleID/DGRN-4QFORM/ on June 11, 2004; 3) Pumping of Liquids and Grass, pages 10-29, 1999 by the McGraw-Hill Companies; 4) 150J3W High Pressure Pump, downloaded from the Internet site <http://w.w.w.jetech.com/products/150j3w.asp> on June 12, 2004; 5) Model 600G3 High & Ultra-High Pressure Pump, downloaded from Internet Site http://jetech.com/products/600_g3.asp on June 12, 2004; and 6) Bran+Luebbe, NOVAPLEX pumps downloaded from the Internet Site <http://w.w.w.spxprocessequipment.com/sites/branluebbe.global/eng/products/process/novaplex/html/novaplexhtml> under Data Sheet (Download PDT) on June 14, 2004.
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